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Dear Examiner Pham:

Enclosed for filing is a Statement of Substance of Interview, in the above-referenced application.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on October 26, 2004:

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Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.